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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
November 27, 2006

Applicant : Armin DIEZ et al.

For : AT LEAST SUBSTANTIALLY METALLIC CYLINDER HEAD GASKET

Serial No.: 10/773,704

Group: 3673

Filed : Feb. 6, 2004

Examiner: Lee

Confirmation No. 8289

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR TIME EXTENSION

Sir:

A Response is enclosed.

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), please extend the shortened period for response by one (1) month. The extension fee is:

\$ 120.00 (37 CFR 1.17a1)

\$ 65.00 (37 CFR 1.17a1) this
application is entitled to
small entity status)

A credit card payment form in the amount of \$120.00 is enclosed for the time extension fee. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiency of these fees to my deposit account No. 20-1124.

Respectfully submitted,

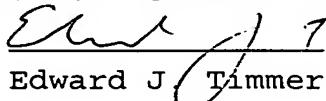
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